HOUSE No. 3164

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Bruce J. Ayers

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to the transporting of persons in wheelchairs.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Bruce J. Ayers	1st Norfolk
Stephen R. Canessa	12th Bristol

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION

SEE HOUSE, NO. 2040 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE TRANSPORTING OF PERSONS IN WHEELCHAIRS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is hereby amended by
- 2 inserting after section 7CC the following section:—
- 3 Section 7DD. In any vehicle transporting persons in wheelchairs, the wheelchairs shall be facing forward. Whoever
- 4 violates the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of \$100.